

# THE GETTYSBURG TIMES.

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## You're Too Busy To Read A Long Christmas Advertisement

On another page you will find our Advertisment, as short and to-the-point as we could make it—Nothing much more than a list—We trust you know that the various articles are here in variety of styles and prices that will please. We shall be glad to show you.

"MERRY CHRISTMAS"



ECKERT'S STORE,  
"On The Square" Since 1885.

## DIES SOON AFTER RETURNING HOME

Huntington Township Family Returns  
to this County after Living Sev-  
eral Years in Arkansas. Daughter  
Dies in a Few Hours.

Just four hours after Mr. and Mrs. Val Pifer returned to Huntington township, after spending several years in Arkansas, their little seventeen months old daughter died as the result of burns sustained before leaving their western home.

Several years ago Mr. and Mrs. Pifer left Huntington township and made their home near Brownsville, Arkansas. While there they all contracted malaria and decided to return to this section. On December 6th the mother was working about her home preparatory to getting ready to come back east and the child wandered away from her, starting to play with a fire that was burning under a kettle. Her clothing caught and the baby sustained painful burns before her mother could extinguish the blaze.

Mr. Pifer had made all arrangements to have sale of his personal effects and, with the child in a serious condition from the burns and the malaria, he had to go ahead with his work. They came in from the West immediately after the sale, arriving at the home of Joseph Davis, a relative in Huntington township on Monday. Four hours after their arrival the child died.

In addition to her parents she leaves two brothers. The funeral was held on Wednesday at Latimore meeting house, Rev. W. G. Group conducting the services.

### ACQUITTED

First Man Tried is Acquitted of Car  
Robbing Charge.

Ernest Lizer, Hagerstown, charged with looting freight cars on the Western Maryland Railroad while employed on the railroad as a brakeman, was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court in Frederick.

The accused were arrested, last July following an investigation by railroad detectives to determine the case of the disappearance of quantities of merchandise from cars shipped over the railroad. A quantity of goods, alleged to have been stolen from cars and found at Lizer's home, was exhibited at the trial.

After the verdict State's Attorney Lewis said he would probably not bring the cases of the other indicted men to trial.

### MANY SHOT

Careless Hunters Shoot both Others  
and Themselves.

"The number of people reported shot this season is simply appalling," said State Game Commission Secretary Joseph Kalbfus. "I have been receiving reports and they show that many of the accidents were due to people dragging guns after them. Some mere boys were shot and in one eastern county my reports show that twenty were shot, one fatally. I am having complete reports on accidents and on the kills of game reported to me and am surprised at what I learn about accidents."

### MUSICAL

Not Well Attended but Very Much  
Enjoyed.

The musical in the Episcopal church on Thursday evening was attended by a small audience but one which enjoyed a concert of exceptional worth. The program was varied and the numbers all most satisfactorily rendered.

"The best wearing nose I ever had" is the verdict of every gentleman that ever used our New Idea half hose. Two pairs for 25 cents and 25 cents a pair. In pretty Xmas boxes, four pairs 50 cents and \$1.00. All colors. Every pair guaranteed. Dougherty and Hartley.—advertisement.

WATCH for the advertisement of the Citizens Trust Co., in tomorrow's issue, it will interest you—advertisement.

FARM for rent. Apply to N. Blanche Deatrick, Biglerville.—advertisement.

## MANY SHOWS FOR AFTER CHRISTMAS

Local Talent Entertainments will be  
Numerous during the Winter  
Months. Several plays. Easter  
Cantata.

Immediately after the holidays work  
will be taken up in Gettysburg for the  
annual home talent plays, musical  
events and other evening entertain-  
ments which usually mark the winter  
months here.

The Gettysburg Chorus will meet  
after New Year's for reorganization  
and to take up the matter of preparing  
a cantata for rendition about  
Easter time. It will be recalled that a  
very successful event of this sort was  
given last year in the Spring. The  
chorus has not been together since  
Chautauqua and are ready to take up  
work again.

Miss Anna Menges who has man-  
aged several home talent musical  
shows here during the past few years  
has booked for early in January.  
She is expected here the first week  
and will train a cast and chorus for  
another entertainment on January  
14th.

At college two plays will be given  
by the students during January and  
February, the one to be produced by  
members of the Sophomore class and  
the other by members from all the  
classes for the benefit of the College  
Y. M. C. A. The musical clubs will  
have a one act play as part of their  
mid-winter concert.

At the High School it is expected  
that a play will be given during the  
early part of the year and several  
other theatrical offerings are also  
being talked of by organizations

about town but no dates have yet  
been arranged and no definite plans  
made.

### TO EQUIP LABORATORY

Will Equip Engineering Laboratory at  
College.

The large north basement in Glaf-  
feiter Hall at College is to be fitted  
up as an engineering laboratory. The  
contract has been let for laying a con-  
crete floor in the room, in the hall-  
way and the smaller physics labora-  
tory for the use of the department of  
Civil Engineering while another portion  
will serve as a laboratory for work in  
applied electricity. Later it is  
hoped to equip a portion of the  
room as a laboratory for experimen-  
tal hydraulics.

### SHOOTING MATCH

Shooting Match at the Home of Jacob  
E. Hoke.

The following were the scores made  
at a shooting match held at the home  
of Jacob E. Hoke on the Snyder farm  
near "Blue Rocks", Jacob E. Hoke 19  
out of 23, Harry C. Hoke 17 out of  
23, Robert Bollinger 12 out of 23,  
Harry Bollinger 5 out of 23, Morris  
Bollinger 9 out of 15.

### LEASE-STONER

Ceremony at Arendtsville Lutheran  
Parsonage on Wednesday.

On Wednesday Rev. D. T. Koser  
married at the Lutheran parsonage in  
Arendtsville Miss Effie M. Stoner, of  
Rouzerville, and B. F. Lease, of Get-  
tysburg.

NEW Idea hosiery for gentlemen.  
Boxed, four pairs in a box 50 cents.  
Silk and lisle, four pairs in a box  
\$1.00. Every pair warranted to wear.  
Dougherty and Hartley.—advertisement.

CHRISTMAS entertainments by Mr.  
I. L. Taylor's singing classes: at Ar-  
endtsville in Warren's Hall, on Satur-  
day, December 21, at 7.30 p. m. Ad-  
mission 10 cents. At Flohr's church,  
Sunday, December 22, at 7.30 p. m.  
Silver collection at the door. At  
Bender's church on Monday, Decem-  
ber 23, at 7.30 p. m. Silver collection  
at the door. Music will be furnished  
by the classes, also recitations by  
local people. Mr. Garfield W. Kram-  
er, of Pennsylvania College, will give  
a number of Christmas readings at  
each entertainment. The public  
should encourage these young people  
by attending these entertainments,  
thereby helping them in defraying  
their expenses for light, fuel, etc.—  
advertisement.

DON'T miss E. H. Trostle's big  
livery sale at Biglerville Saturday.—  
advertisement.

## JANUARY COURT JURORS DRAWN

Twenty Four Grand Jurors and  
Thirty Eight Petit Jurors Drawn  
on Wednesday for Sessions of  
January Court.

On Wednesday the jurors were  
drawn for January term of court.  
They are as follows:

John Barnes, merchant, Hamiltonban.

### GRAND JURY

John J. Baker, farmer, Hamiltonban.

D. D. Bucher, farmer, Franklin.

E. T. Border, farmer, Reading.

Charles K. Forry, farmer, Berwick.

David H. Guise, farmer, Liberty.

John Haverstock, mason, Tyrone.

M. Hoffheins, pump maker, Hamilton.

Wm. Hartzell, farmer, Cumberland.

G. W. Irwin, gent, Highland.

C. H. Moose, painter, Gettysburg.

Wm. Marshall, farmer, Hamiltonban.

Hans S. S. Mehring, gent, Union.

J. U. Neely, merchant, Fairfield.

Asa Ocker, horse dealer, Gettysburg.

Harvey Plank, laborer, Gettysburg.

Q. D. Rebert, farmer, Mt. Pleasant.

C. S. Reaser, mfr., Gettysburg.

J. S. Sell, laborer, Hamiltonban.

Wm. H. Smith, farmer, Huntington.

E. H. Sachs, farmer, Butler.

Michael Tate, concrete, Gettysburg.

C. J. Widener, J. P., Huntington.

Elmer Wilt, cigarmaker, Conowago.

PETIT JURY

Charles Albert, farmer, Berwick.

Francis T. Brown, gent, Littlestown.

E. H. Benner, farmer, Mt. Joy.

Harry Bixler, farmer, Mt. Pleasant.

R. H. Culp, cabinet-maker, Gettysburg.

J. G. Decker, shoemaker, Hamilton.

Harvey Dodrider, farmer, Germany.

C. E. Eisenhart, farmer, Hamilton.

J. W. Eicholtz, gent, Gettysburg.

C. D. Groft, cigarmaker, McShy'tn.

John Grim, sawyer, Abbottstown.

C. W. Haverstock, farmer, Butler.

H. Haverstock, farmer, Huntington.

S. C. Jacobs, retired, East Berlin.

Geo. A. Kuhn, farmer, Mt. Pleasant.

A. G. Keagy, gent, Littlestown.

John Keefer, McSherrystown.

Frank Knous, mason, Franklin.

Harry E. Lerew, farmer, Straban.

John F. Low, shoemaker, Fairfield.

M. Livingstone, 'smith, New Oxford.

C. F. Nintel, farmer, Hamiltonban.

Harry Oyler, coal dealer, Gettysburg.

Charles C. Pepple, laborer, Fairfield.

P. C. Smith, cigarmaker, New Oxf'd.

J. M. Strevig, merchant, Littlestown.

Mervin Slaybaugh, laborer, Tyrone.

Chas. S. Snyder, farmer, Mt. Joy.

Jacob P. Smith, farmer, Straban.

Milton E. Snyder, farmer, Mt. Joy.

C. S. Starner, farmer, Menallen.

Emory Steiner, laborer, Gettysburg.

Augustus Stough, farmer, Straban.

Sam' Sanders, farmer, Hamiltonban.

C. B. Tate, gent, Gettysburg.

Geo. E. Wright, farmer, Menallen.

Jas. R. White, farmer, Liberty.

G. E. Wearer, farmer, Bendersville.

### CONVENTION

First District Workers to Meet in St.  
James Chapel.

The convention of the First District  
of the Adams County Sabbath School  
Association will be held in the Chapel  
of St. James Lutheran Church in  
Gettysburg this Thursday evening,  
at 7.30. An address will be given by  
W. D. Reel, of Philadelphia, State  
Field Worker of the Pennsylvania  
State Sabbath School Association.  
The title of the address will be "Pay-  
ing the Price", and it will be followed  
by a conference on the subject of  
teacher training and Sunday School  
work in general. Officers of the Dis-  
trict will be elected at this meeting.  
All those interested in Sunday School  
work are urged, and everyone is cordially  
invited, to attend.

LADIES kid gloves, black, tan,  
grey, etc. Each pair in a pretty Xmas  
box. Prices \$1.00 and \$1.25 per pair.  
Dougherty and Hartley.—advertisement.

SEE our Christmas advertisement  
on another page. Just received another  
shipment of beautiful trunks,  
bags and suit cases. Adams County  
Hardware Company.—advertisement

DON'T miss the entertainment to  
be held at Grape Vine school house,  
Friday evening, December 20th. If  
the weather is bad, Saturday, Dec.  
21st.—advertisement.

DON'T miss E. H. Trostle's big  
livery sale at Biglerville Saturday.—  
advertisement.

## LETTERS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Correspondents send in Many Items  
of Interesting News from their  
Respective Towns. Personals  
and Many Brief Items.

### YORK SPRINGS

York Springs—On Monday George  
Sheaffer, of this place, killed what is  
known to be the largest hog butchered  
this season. Frank Speelman esti-  
mated the dressed hog to weigh 650  
pounds.

George L. Deardorff, of Latimore  
township, is now walking with the aid  
of a cane, the cause being an accident  
he met with on Monday. Mr. Dear-  
dorff was out in the woods with a  
team when his horses stepped upon  
his right foot and bruised it so badly  
that he had difficulty in getting to the  
house.

Mrs. D. H. Markley and daughter,  
Miss Jennie, have gone to Baltimore  
where they will spend the winter with  
Mrs. E. C. Stock.

Charles I. Bushey, of near town,  
was the owner of a prize turkey gob-  
ble until last Tuesday evening when  
the bird went to a new owner. The  
gobbler weighed 33 pounds and was  
roosting near the house when stolen  
by some miscreant who also took 10  
bushels of corn. This is the second  
gobbler stolen for Mr. Bushey in the  
last six months.

While playing with her brother, a  
little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry  
Shank, of Latimore township, was  
struck on the face by a rubber ball  
and her nose painfully bruised. Dr.  
H. A. Underwood gave the necessary  
surgical attention.

The buzz wood saw takes its annual  
toll of fingers and hands and one of the first accidents of the  
season for Adams county occurred on  
Thursday when Thomas Fleming of  
near town, lost the first finger of his  
right hand. In sawing some brail  
wood the saw caused the sticks to  
buck and throw his hand against the  
sharp teeth

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED THE FOLLOWING POINTS ABOUT YOUR

## CHRISTMAS GROCERIES?

PURITY—The most essential requisite is that they be pure.

### Deliciousness and Attractiveness

"Should not the eye as well as the palate be pleased?" What affords greater delight to the "House-wife" than the fact that she is using that grade of Groceries which will merit a word of praise from the husband or family when they taste that PIE, CAKE, etc.

We have a fine line of FRESH CANDIES to select from.

### Bon-Bons, Chocolates

#### and Mixtures, also

Dates, Figs, Oranges and Grapes, Pecans, Butternuts, English Walnuts, Cocoanuts.

How about that FRUIT CAKE at \$1.50? Orange peel, citron, pine-apple, lemon peel, currants, raisins and mincemeat.

We offer a full line of Heintz's pickles. Have you tried our

### Home Roasted Coffee

We are selling coffee from 22 to 40 c.

A Complete line of market baskets \$6 to 75c.

### Queensware      Queensware

at prices which will interest any one in need of goods of this kind. The consumer is the judge. We pay the highest cash price for country produce. We buy for cash. We sell for cash.

### We Offer

Special prices in ORANGES and CANDIES to the teacher or association for their Christmas treat.

## People's Cash Store

Baltimore Street.

Gettysburg, Pa.

### Dr. Gabriel R. McGuire LECTURE

#### "With an Irishman Through the Jungles of Africa"

Illustrated with a collection of curios.

At Fruit Grower's Hall, Bendersville, Thurs., eve., Dec. 19th

This takes the place of lecture previously announced for Dr. Poole, who is unavoidably prevented from coming. You are promised a delightful evening.

RESERVED SEATS 35 cents. General admission 20 cents.

Season Tickets, three nights 75 cents.

For chart, call Edwin C. Tyson, Floradale, both 'phones.

## PUBLIC SALE

On Saturday, December 21st, 1912

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at his residence 1-2 miles South of Hunterstown, the following personal property:

Four head of horses, 1 black horse, 1 bay horse, 1 sorrel horse 7 years old. These horses will work wherever hitched. 1 fine colt 2 1/2 years old.

Eleven head of cattle, 6 milk cows, 2 of them with calves by their side; 1 large bull; 1 yearling bull; 1 heifer; 2 head of cattle.

Sixteen head of fine sheep, 1 thoroughbred Shropshire buck, 1 yearling buck.

Twenty-one head of hogs, 3 brood sows, 1 will have pigs by time of sale, 2 in March, 13 fine shoats, 5 pigs just weaned.

Farming implements, consisting of one 2 or 3 horse wagon, 1 McCormick mower, 1 mower in use a short time, 1 Hench and Dromgold grain drill, 1 hay rake, 2 corn cultivators, 1 single corn cultivator, 1 Spangler corn planter, 1 Osborne binder, in good condition, 3 spring tooth harrows, 1 a wheel lever harrow, 1 spike harrow, 1 Oliver chilled No. 20, 1 Oliver chilled No. 40, 1 land roller, 1 grass seeder, 3 sets of front gears, set of breechbands, collars, bridles, halters, double and single trees, forks, shovels, etc.

Sale to begin at 12:30 p.m. A credit of 9 months will be given on all sums of \$5 and over. Further terms day of sale by

J. W. TAUGHINBAUGH  
G. R. Thompson, auct.  
H. G. Deatrick, clerk.

## Wilson's Message

This is my second call to people to come to the Globe Hotel stable for feeds and tie-ins. Only a hop, skip and a jump from Centre Square.

### Milus A. Wilson

"Just a minute," interrupted the presiding officer. "Who are you?"

"I am Mr. Rudolph Smithers," the attorney replied, "and I am a member of the Massachusetts bar."

"Oh, you are Mr. Smithers, are you?" continued the officer. "Then you are the man whom the orderly wants to see." He called the orderly.

"What does the orderly want of me?" asked the attorney in a superior tone.

"Nothing very much," replied the chief justice. "He merely wants to show you off the ship." — New York Herald.

## BRAILE'S BIG WELL.

### I Would Have Worked Wonders Only It Was Never Dug.

Perhaps the most idiotic of all the many idiotic schemes with which Britons have been enamored in days gone by was that which was known at the time as Braile's big well. M. Braile was a Belgian engineer, residing temporarily in England, who, in 1848, approached the then prime minister (Lord John Russell) with a scheme for sinking a huge shaft, a mile in diameter and twenty miles in depth, that should tap the earth's internal heat and thereby render England independent of her coal supply when this gave out.

Lord Russell, always rather attracted by visionary projects, attentively considered the scheme and caused plans and estimates to be drawn up. The first difficulty was the inrush of water, which would have been certain to occur sooner or later. This it was proposed to keep under by pumping, caissons being used for the purpose of further excavation, while the finished portion of the shaft was to be rendered watertight by a "jacket" of granite set in Portland cement.

Mad as the scheme was, it found plenty of advocates, and a provisional bill had been, it was said, actually drafted, when the overthrow of the government on the franchise question was announced, and the whole business was thenceforth consigned to a well merited oblivion. — Pearson's Weekly.

### BREAKING IT GENTLY.

#### The Naval Court Was Polite With the Pushing Boston Attorney.

Courts martial are not infrequently held on battleships in the Charlestown navy yard. Sometimes a sailor will send for a Boston attorney to defend him, although this tendency is discouraged by the officers. Most attorneys know they have no absolute right to practice in a naval court and can do so only by permission of the court, but occasionally a lawyer goes aboard who does not realize this fact.

A sailor who was charged with gambling had retained an attorney to get him off. This attorney, who had never had such a case before, went briskly into the officers' wardrobe, where the court was sitting and without waiting on ceremony began to address the court in a blustering manner.

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### The Womanly Touch.

Adam was showing Eve through the cave.

"This is the living room," he said. "It is furnished as luxuriously as possible in these prehistoric days. I have spared no expense on it, and yet it lacks something or other, some final touch that I cannot name."

Eve took a swift look around. Then she pulled the magazine table out a little from the wall, gave the morris chair a twist, laid a book on the window sill and kicked the tiger skin rug back a foot from the door.

"Wonderful!" cried Adam and gazed open mouthed at the magical transformation.

The cave was more than a cave now, it was a home.

There's no place like home. — Newark News.

### Sinister.

A nonconformist clergyman in Manchester is chuckling over a letter he recently received from the vicar of a certain parish church. He had written to the vicar asking for permission to conduct a funeral in the churchyard.

"He immediately sent me a most courteous note," the nonconformist clergyman said, "but I could not help noticing that it would be possible to give his words a sinister meaning. The note ran: 'You will, both tomorrow and at any other time, be most welcome in our churchyard.' — London Answers.

### Getting Even.

"Oh, George, dear," she whispered when he slipped the engagement ring on her tapering finger, "how sweet of you to remember just the sort of stone I preferred! None of the others was ever so thoughtful."

George was staggered, but for a moment. Then he came back with: "Not at all, dear. You overrate me. This is the one I've always used." — London Stray Stories.

### Eccentric.

"Snaggs is a most eccentric chap."

"Yes?"

"Sure! He has named his place Pine Terrace."

"Well, what of it?"

"Well, he has pine trees and a terrace." — Judge's Library.

### The Human Hog.

Crawford—Don't you believe that a man should be the architect of his own fortune? Crabshaw—That's all right, but he shouldn't build on the other fellow's lot. — Judge's Library.

### Irre Patient.

"You understand me well, doctor—if you amputate my legs I shall never set foot inside your door again!" — Paris Sourire.

## Your Hair? Go To Your Doctor

### Ayer's Hair Vigor is composed of

Sulphur, Glycerin, Quinin, Sodium Chlorid, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol, Water, Perfume.  
J. C. Ayer Company, Lowell, Mass.

Medical Advertising

## 1913 Spring Sale Dates

|                             |                  |                    |
|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Feb. 5—E. Shindledecker     | Franklin         | Caldwell           |
| Feb. 5—John Geyer           | Cumberland       | Martz              |
| Feb. 8—E. C. Plank          | Cumberland       | Thompson           |
| Feb. 10—J. L. Williams      | Mt. Joy          | Thompson           |
| Feb. 12—Charles Fissel      | Highland         | Thompson           |
| Feb. 13—Allen Fiszel        | Mt. Joy          | Thompson           |
| Feb. 14—Ervin Reynolds      | Straban          | Thompson           |
| Feb. 15—D. C. Shanebrook    | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Feb. 17—Mervin Shealer      | Straban          | Thompson           |
| Feb. 18—J. W. Harman        | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Feb. 18—C. M. Reynolds      | Hamilton         | Thompson           |
| Feb. 19—A. W. Hartlaub      | Butler           | Thompson           |
| Feb. 20—Mrs. W. D. Stock    | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Feb. 21—David Swartz        | Mt. Joy          | Thompson           |
| Feb. 22—D. F. Swortz        | Mt. Joy          | Thompson           |
| Feb. 22—I. M. Reynolds      | Near Abbottstown | Thompson           |
| Feb. 24—Joseph Klunk        | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Feb. 25—John H. Markle      | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Feb. 25—J. W. Maring        | Cumberland       | Lightner           |
| Feb. 25—Lawyer Brothers     | Union            | Basehor            |
| Feb. 26—H. A. Miller        | Mt. Joy          | Thompson           |
| Feb. 27—H. B. Jacobs        | East Berlin      | Caldwell           |
| Feb. 27—Joseph Sheely       | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Feb. 27—J. A. H. Currens    | Cumberland       | Thompson           |
| Feb. 28—John M. Miller      | Mt. Joy          | Caldwell           |
| Feb. 28—George Strasbaugh   | Cumberland       | Thompson           |
| Mar. 1—W. C. Carl           | Mt. Pleasant     | Highland           |
| Mar. 1—J. C. Knox           | Mt. Joy          | Thompson           |
| Mar. 3—William Arendt       | Cumberland       | Caldwell           |
| Mar. 3—Charles Starner      | Highland         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 3—William F. McGaughey | Mt. Pleasant     | Martz              |
| Mar. 4—W. S. Rittase        | Highland         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 4—Wm. F. Carbaugh      | Mt. Pleasant     | Martz              |
| Mar. 4—W. H. Dennis         | Tyrone           | Thompson           |
| Mar. 5—George L. Plank      | Franklin         | Lightner           |
| Mar. 5—Mrs. Wm. Allison     | Butler           | Thompson           |
| Mar. 5—Russell Nunemaker    | Mt. Joy          | Reading            |
| Mar. 5—C. R. Deardorff      | Latimore         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 5—F. S. Coulson        | Hamiltonban      | Lightner           |
| Mar. 6—Stewart Sites        | Bonneauville     | Thompson           |
| Mar. 6—N. E. Orndorff       | Franklin         | Martz              |
| Mar. 6—John E. Diehl        | Hamilton         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 6—Curtis Ruth          | Tyrone           | Lightner           |
| Mar. 6—John Bream           | Franklin         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 6—John W. Benner       | Mt. Joy          | Martz              |
| Mar. 7—Chas. W. Musselman   | Franklin         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 7—John Tate            | Tyrone           | Thompson           |
| Mar. 8—Roy Walker           | Mt. Joy          | Butler             |
| Mar. 8—C. C. Miller         | Latimore         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 8—C. R. Strayer        | Union            | Lightner           |
| Mar. 10—George Kindig       | Cumberland       | Thompson           |
| Mar. 10—David Yingling      | Franklin         | Lightner           |
| Mar. 10—David Yingling      | Cumberland       | Thompson           |
| Mar. 10—J. Harman Bream     | Franklin         | Martz              |
| Mar. 11—J. A. Harman        | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Mar. 11—John Albert         | Huntington       | Slaybaugh          |
| Mar. 12—E. E. Freed         | Straban          | Thompson           |
| Mar. 12—Thad. Hess          | Reading          | Taylor & Slaybaugh |
| Mar. 13—W. E. Golden        | Latimore         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 13—Rupp & Eisenhart    | New Oxford       | Thompson           |
| Mar. 13—George H. Criswell  | Tyrone           | Lightner           |
| Mar. 14—E. H. Benner        | Franklin         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 14—William Peters      | Cumberland       | Lightner           |
| Mar. 14—Albert A. Miller    | Huntington       | Thompson           |
| Mar. 14—John Crone          | Franklin         | Lightner           |
| Mar. 15—C. R. McCleaf       | Cumberland       | Thompson           |
| Mar. 15—Charles Yeagy       | Huntington       | Thompson           |
| Mar. 15—Ambrose Wehler      | Reading          | Thompson           |
| Mar. 15—Samuel L. Wisler    | Highland         | Martz              |
| Mar. 15—C. E. Pitzer        | Mt. Pleasant     | Thompson           |
| Mar. 17—Edward K. Baughman  | Germany          | Thompson           |
| Mar. 17—William Cline       | Franklin         | Martz              |
| Mar. 18—Walter Beamer       | Mt. Pleasant     | Slaybaugh          |
| Mar. 18—James Fohl          | Menallen         | Thompson           |
| Mar. 18—Byron Nickey</td    |                  |                    |

## Established 1876

WE OFFER you in our Christmas stock this year the benefit of 36 years practical experience. You can easily see the advantages of looking at our stock and getting our prices. We have the finest line of cut glass that has ever appeared in a store in Gettysburg at attractive prices.

**Following are a few appropriate gifts**

**Watches**

**Clocks**

**Jewelry**

**Silverware**

**Cut Glass**

**Novelties**

**Etc.**

**Penrose Myers**

## SUFFRAGISTS BRAVE SNOW

Only Six Reach Ossining on Walking Trip to Albany.

Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Lowering clouds, with a hint of snow in the air did not daunt the spirit of the pilgrims of suffrage when they completed here the second day of their two weeks journey to Albany to carry a message to Governor Sulzer on his inauguration day.

"And thence they marched ten parades," laughingly quoted Miss Rosalia G. Jones, commander of the expedition, when she halted it in the public square, her little band of suffragists now reduced to six after a leisurely tramp from Irvington.

Mrs. Anna Ross Weeks, of New York, spoke to a crowd in the public square.

"You men will be ashamed of yourselves if you don't vote for woman suffrage," she declared. "We hear a lot of talk about the fair sex, but shouldn't you be called the unfair sex?"

"How about women going to war?" interrupted a male listener.

"When battleships can fire projectiles three miles, being a soldier is not so brave a thing as it used to be," reported Mrs. Weeks. "And I would be more afraid of a woman who dropped a bomb from an aeroplane than I would of a man."

## DYNAMITE DEFENCE SUDDENLY RESTS

Nine Principal Witnesses Were Not Called.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 18.—There was genuine surprise when the defense in the dynamite trial suddenly closed its evidence without calling nine of the principal defendants to the stand.

These men are among those who had the most significant correspondence with Ryan and McNamara or were most active in the different steps of the conspiracy.

For instance, Tvelmos, Clancy and Munsey, who were active in hiding J. B. McNamara after he blew up the Los Angeles Times building and then got him out of California and also assisted in speeding Mrs. Caplan out of the state to prevent her from being a witness against the Times murderers, were not called to the stand.

Just before court adjourned the district attorney moved that the bond of John T. Butler, of Buffalo, be increased. He said that Butler had stated in the court room that "he wished to God he had stayed in Quebec," as he knew the crime was not extraditable, and for the court's protection the bond ought to be increased.

Judge Anderson increased Butler's bond to \$15,000 and said: "This man swore to what he knew was untrue. He made many conflicting statements, and I believe he committed wilful perjury. I have been on the bench and about court rooms for thirty-four years and I never heard such malicious perjury as has been committed in this case."

## BONNIWELL BEGINS CONTEST

Notifies Clerk of House He Will Try to Unseat Congressman Butler.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Charges that the supporters of Thomas S. Butler, successful Republican nominee for election to the house of representatives from the Seventh Pennsylvania district in the Sixty-third congress, committed fraud and perjury and helped in obtaining his election are made by Eugene C. Bonniwell, unsuccessful Democratic candidate.

Mr. Bonniwell filed notice with the clerk of the house that he would seek to have Butler unseated.

**Slay Man Who Shot Officer.**

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 18.—An unidentified colored man, who shot and wounded Patrolman Joseph White, after wresting a pistol from the officer, was shot to death by a mob.

**Worst Blizzard in Ten Years.**

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 18.—Duluth and vicinity are blanketed under one to five feet of snow in the worst blizzard in ten years. The temperature is not low, however.

**Dealers Say Large Supply and Ample Dairy Feed Will Cut Price.**

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Butter men who attended the meeting of the Elgin board of trade declared that butter within the next three months will be cheaper than it was year ago.

It is stated that there is no corner in butter, but that the excess now in storage is due to the fact that more storage companies are making public report of butter in storage than did so a year ago. There is an abundance of feed, which is increasing the production.

**Darts From Mother to Death.**

South Bethlehem, Pa., Dec. 18.—Walking along Third street during the Christmas rush with his mother, Rudolph Kuko, three years old, suddenly loosened his hold on his mother's hand and darted into the street in front of an approaching wagon. The heavy wheels passed over his breast, crushing out his life.

**Texas Bank Robbed of \$17,000.**

Kyle, Tex., Dec. 18.—Four masked men bound and gagged the watchman at the Kyle State bank, locked him in a box car and escaped with \$17,000.

## GETTYSBURG MAKRETS

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouse corrected daily by C. Milton Wolf, Jr., Successor to J. Geo. Wolf's Sons Co.

|                     |         |
|---------------------|---------|
| Per Bu              | Per 100 |
| New Dry Wheat ..... | \$1.35  |
| New Ear Corn .....  | .55     |
| Rye .....           | .70     |
| New Oats .....      | .35     |

### RETAIL PRICES

|                            |                |
|----------------------------|----------------|
| Badger Dairy Feed .....    | \$1.35         |
| Coarse Spring Bran .....   | .35            |
| Hand Packed Bran .....     | .40            |
| Cotton Seed Meal .....     | .65            |
| Cotton Seed Meal .....     | per ton \$2.00 |
| Corn and Oats Chop .....   | .50            |
| Showmaker Stock Food ..... | .50            |
| White Middlings .....      | .60            |
| Red Middlings .....        | .50            |
| Timothy Hay .....          | .85            |
| Rye Chop .....             | .70            |
| Plaster .....              | .65            |
| Flour .....                | \$7.00 per ton |
| Cement .....               | \$1.40 per bbl |
| Per bbl                    |                |
| Flour .....                | \$.80          |
| Western Flour .....        | .60            |
| Per bu                     |                |
| Wheat .....                | \$.10          |
| New Ear Corn .....         | .65            |
| Shelled Corn .....         | .90            |
| New Oats .....             | .45            |
| Western Oats .....         | .45            |

New York Market—Henney's White Fancy Eggs, 42 and 45 cents.

## Christmas Gifts

Our store has many things suitable for Christmas gifts which it will be well worth your while to see before selecting the presents you intend to give your friends.

### CANDIES

Several of the best lines of fine confections on the market are displayed in our new dust proof show case. Pretty holiday boxes help make the Christmas candies a most acceptable form of gift. Lowney's and several others are represented in our assortment.

### MAGAZINES

The gift problem is very often satisfactorily settled by subscribing for one of the magazines in which your friend will be interested. Any publication can be subscribed for through us at no extra cost and, in addition to being appreciated at Christmas time, will be a reminder throughout the year of your thought.

### BOXED PAPERS

A useful gift is stationery and an attractive one, too, when the paper is prettily boxed. We have a big line of fine papers on sale which we would be glad to show you.

### CIGARS

You can't please a man who smokes better than by giving him a box of good cigars at Christmas time. He can't get too many. We have a big assortment of the best makes.

### OTHER THINGS

Pretty calendars, Christmas cards and a variety of other articles that are not found in many holiday lines. It will pay you to call here before buying your presents.

## Stallsmith's News Stand.

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Our line for this Xmas exceeds all other years

|                       |                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| California Oranges    | English Walnuts |
| Florida Oranges       | Pecans          |
| Tangerines            | Malga Grapes    |
| Almonds (paper shell) | Grape Fruit     |
| Butternuts            | Apples          |
| Chestnuts             | Lemons          |
| Candies               | Maccaroni       |

**Pure Italian Olive Oil**  
No. 8 Baltimore Street.

## And Now For Christmas The Hardware Store

has useful Christmas Gifts.

Here are a few:

|                              |                           |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| SAVORY ENAMEL ROASTERS       | CARVING SETS              |
| NICKEL TEA KETTLES           | DEITZ DRIVING LAMPS       |
| NICKEL COFFEE POTS           | POCKET KNIVES             |
| FOOD CHOPPERS                | KEEN KUTTER SAFETY RAZORS |
| REMINGTON AND STEVENS RIFLES | TABLE KNIVES AND FORKS    |

Call and examine our line. You will find our prices low and quality the best.

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Where it's Made, and have it  
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All guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906.

### SPECIAL MIXTURE

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Chocolates, Twenty cents Per Pound.

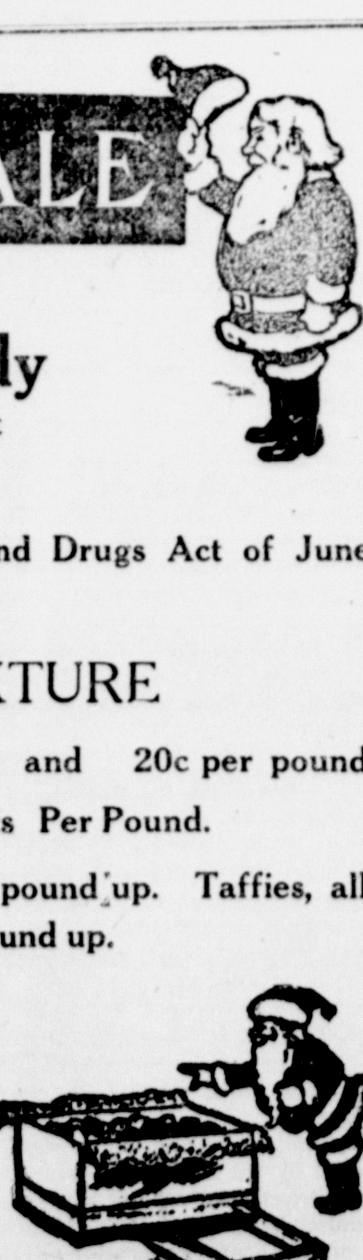
Bon'Bons in a great variety 25c per pound up. Taffies, all kinds, 10c per pound up.

### Gettysburg

### Candy Kitchen

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| <b>MARTIN WINTER</b><br>INSURANCE<br>and REAL ESTATE          | <b>W. H. TIPTON</b><br>PHOTOGRAPHER<br>Gettysburg Souvenirs   | <b>FOR XMAS</b><br>Toys, Locomotives, Cars, Motors, Automobiles all electrically operated. Tree lighting outfits. Place your order now.                  |
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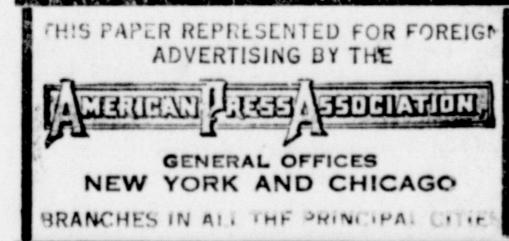
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## Save This Xmas Check

We want to advertise our large stock of Xmas Goods. We are inviting you to come and see our big line, and want you to buy all you can and then you may fill out the form below and we will sign it, if you follow the instructions below.

|                               |                   |                |
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| No. _____                     | Arendtsville, Pa. | December 1912. |
| National Bank of Arendtsville |                   |                |
| Pay to the Bearer _____       | \$1.00            |                |
| One _____                     | x Dollars         |                |
| 100                           |                   |                |
| Signed _____                  |                   |                |

This check is good for One Dollar (\$1.00) payable to the bearer on the following conditions: If you purchase goods at our store any day during December, to the amount of Ten or more dollars (\$10.00), we will properly countersign this check and it will be paid by our bank upon presentation.

Eggs 30 cts.

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H. W. TROSTEL & SON,  
Arendtsville, Pa.

## Watch For This

The "Upstreamers" will present the home talent play entitled "Down In Dixie" in Thomas Brothers Hall, Biglerville,

January 18, 1913, at 8 P.M.

Further announcement will appear later.

## FARMERS INTERESTED

Many Suggestions for Improvement of Farmers' Life.

Adams County farmers are keenly interested in resolutions favoring the bettering of conditions of the farms and of farmers in Pennsylvania which were unanimously adopted Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the Committee of the Resources of the Pennsylvania Conservation Association. These resolutions provided for:

The establishment of a county life commission whose purpose it shall be to ascertain what are the state's agricultural resources and how they may be better utilized, the instruction of farmers by county demonstrators, such as is now being done by the United States Department of Agriculture, the planting and breeding of nut trees, such as hickory, walnut and chestnut trees on rocky hillsides not suitable for agricultural purposes, the conservation of the soil, the establishment of rural graded and high schools with adequate space for playgrounds.

The improvement of roads, the improvement of rural credit system, the establishment of a rural constabulary to insure personal safety to the families of farmers, the extension of the postal savings system through rural carriers, the abolition of the rural tax collector and the establishment of a system of paying taxes direct to the county treasurer, the preservation of all enemies of insects, the enactment of a crop pest law, the prohibition of spraying trees while in bloom, the preservation of insectivorous birds, bees, toads, frogs, snakes and skunks, the establishment of rural co-operative stores where farmers may sell their crops and buy what they need.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John A. Weigle, late of Arendtsville borough, Adams County, Penna., deceased. Letters of Administration on the estate of said decedent having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, to present their accounts, properly authenticated, without delay.

## ELLIS WEIGLE

Administrator, Arendtsville, Pa.

Or to William Hersch, Esq., Attorney.

COME and get your hair cut before Christmas at H. B. Sefton's barbershop, 35 Baltimore street—advertisement.

## ARCHBOLD NOTES WERE STOLEN

### Foraker Gives His Version of How Hearst Got Them.

## MORE OFFERED FOR SALE

Declares New York Publisher Paid \$42,000 — Were After 200 Public Men.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Former Senator J. B. Foraker, of Ohio, produced before the senate sub-committee investigating campaign funds, a statement prepared by Gilchrist Stewart purporting to be based on a description by W. W. Winkfield, of how Winkfield and Charles Stump took the "Archbold letters" from the Standard Oil offices and sold them to a representative of W. R. Hearst.

"Mr. Hearst said that he did not know how the letters were procured," declared Foraker. "Such a preposterous story as that you might tell to the marines, but to no one else."

Foraker said Stewart in 1908 sent him a newspaper clipping in which W. A. Ulman, "attorney for C. P. Taft," a brother of President Taft, was reported to have consulted with Mr. Hearst about the letters before they were published, and suggested that Ulman, Taft and John T. Cronin, the latter formerly connected politically with Hearst, be called as witnesses.

Foraker declared that about a week ago he had Stewart go to Chicago, where Winkfield was working as a waiter, and ascertain what he knew. Upon the interview, he said, Stewart had based his report. What that report contained, Foraker proceeded to detail, declaring that he did not vouch for its accuracy. He added that the committee could call Winkfield.

According to the statement, Winkfield and Stump noticed a newspaper item about the sale of letters and, taking some from the Archbold files, tried to sell them, but failed. Finally they wrote a letter to the New York American making the offer and the next day called up.

They insisted upon talking to Mr. Hearst, but were contented to meet a "representative" in a saloon. As a result of that conference they went the next day to the private editorial office of the New York American, where a man named Eldridge talked to them. They were told that Hearst stated they were performing a great public duty. They talked as to the price with Eldridge, asking \$10,000, but getting a promise of only \$5,000.

The next day, according to the statement, they delivered the letters to Eldridge to be photographed and ready fifty \$100 bills.

The statement declared other letters were wanted and that Winkfield and Stump were given a list of 200 senators, congressmen, judges and governors with the assurance that letters from them to Archbold would be paid for well. For one batch of such letters they are said to have received \$3000 and for another \$4000. For the Penrose, Hanna and Foraker letters, the statement said, Eldridge paid them \$7000.

"Evidently we were the fat cattle," remarked Foraker.

In all, the statement continued, \$34,000 was paid to the two men. For two signatures of Archbold, standing alone, they are said to have been paid \$500. The statement said the signatures were requested of the two men, and that they procured them by having Archbold write his name in an almanac.

A third man joined Winkfield and Stump, it was said, and the three put a large number of letters in a safety deposit vault.

After 1908 they are represented as having disposed of some Penrose letters to a representative of Hearst for \$4000 and made an offer to sell all their remaining letters for \$20,000. They disposed of a batch for \$3500 last spring, a grand total of \$42,000, and negotiations have been opened for the sale of others, the statement said.

Both Winkfield and Stump were employed in Archbold's office at the time the letters disappeared. Winkfield, a negro, is a son of Archbold's butler.

Foraker declared the \$50,000 sent him by Archbold was a loan he had requested from several sources to enable him to buy a newspaper.

"No one ever got ahead of Senator Hanna," he added, "and as he wanted the State Journal he got it and I returned the loan."

When Foraker ended his testimony the committee adjourned indefinitely, without deciding whether they would call the witnesses Foraker suggested.

## BABY LEFT ON PARSONAGE STEPS.

Norristown, Pa., Dec. 19.—A girl baby less than three months old was found in a basket on the steps in front of the parsonage of the First Presbyterian church. A note was pinned to the baby's clothes addressed to Rev. Thomas R. Beeber, requesting that he use his influence to see that the child is given a good home.

## OUTLAW IN PHILIPPINES KILLED.

Manila, Dec. 19.—Arcani, a notorious outlaw chief in the Philippines, was killed in a personal encounter with Lieutenant E. H. Johnson, of the Philippine constabulary. Two other outlaws of the same band also were killed by a force of constabulary.

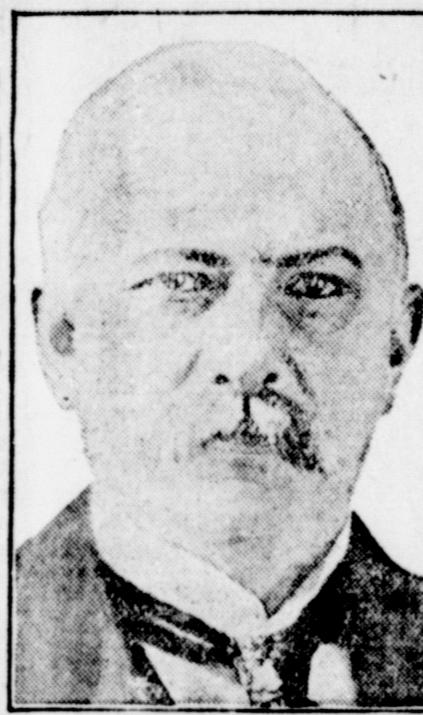
ELLIS WEIGLE  
Administrator, Arendtsville, Pa.

Or to William Hersch, Esq., Attorney.

LOST: coach dog. Return to J. O. Rinehart, Liberty street, Gettysburg.—advertisement.

## JOSEPH B. FORAKER.

Says Hearst Paid \$42,000 For Archbold Letters.



## RUSSIA DEFENDS BALKAN CLAIMS

### Premier Pleads For Peace, But Pledges Faith.

## STANDS BY HER ALLIANCE

Servia Is Willing to Let Matter of Outlet on Adriatic Sea to the Great Powers.

London, Dec. 19.—A desire for the preservation of European peace, combined with the determination to defend with the nation's whole strength Russia's vital interests, was the keynote of a speech on Balkan affairs made by Premier Kokosov in the duma.

M. Kokosov paid a tribute to the warlike virtues and the unanimity of the Balkan peoples. He said that as the great Slavonic and orthodox power, Russia could not be indifferent as to "whether or not they obtain better conditions of existence and thus avert dangerous complications in the future."

He continued: "The Russian government is glad it has not had to change its calm attitude. There is no ground for suspecting Russia of selfish designs or of a desire to aggravate conflicts. The fundamental principles which will guide the Russian government when the hour for final decisions has sounded are indicated by our past."

"Faithful to her alliance with France and to her friendly agreements with other great powers, and sure of the latter's support, she sees no use in setting up one group of powers against another.

"The Russian government hopes the united efforts by which the powers are inspired will help them to arrive at an agreement which will reconcile their interests with the just demands of the Balkan states.

"Actuated by the sincere desire to co-operate with all the means in its power, in the preservation of European peace, the Russian government expresses the hope that, with the help of the Almighty, the efforts of the powers will be crowned with success and that events in the future will not, harmfully affect the vital interests of Russia which we are called upon to defend with all strength in the name of the honor and dignity of our country."

Serbia took an important step in the direction of peace by intimating her willingness to leave the matter of an outlet on the Adriatic sea entirely in the hands of the great European powers.

In announcing the decision of the Serbian government, the head of the Serbian peace delegation added that Serbia's attitude was a perfectly moderate one and that, relying on the justice of her claim and the sympathies of the European governments, she had decided to take the course indicated.

## DIES IN FATHER'S ARMS

Miner Is Fatally Crushed by Falling Rock

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 19.—Richard Nye's death in the North Franklin colliery's deepest workings was attended with heroic and pathetic circumstances.

He was working in a mine chamber with his cousin, John Nye. Suddenly a rock weighing 500 pounds fell from the roof, pinning Richard Nye to the floor, one end striking his neck and breaking it.

The edge of the rock scraped his cousin and tore away the pockets of his overalls. He pried the rock from off Richard and was carrying him down an incline to the gangway when the victim exclaimed: "John, you are good to rescue me from my terrible position. I am dying. Send for father."

The father worked in another part of the mine. He hurried to his son's side in the gangway, and after pressing him in his arms and kissing him, offered a prayer as the young miner expired a half mile in the bowels of the earth.

## BARON KILLED IN MOTOR WRECK.

Antwerp, Belgium, Dec. 19.—Baron Helin van Zuylen van Nyevelt was killed by the overturning of his automobile at Waarloos, near here. Serious injuries were sustained by the two other occupants of the motor car. Mlle. de Bassompierre, lady-in-waiting on Princess Clementine, and Baron Goffinet, who was private secretary to the late King Leopold.

## LOSES \$20,000 BROOCH.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Robert C. McCormick, of New York city, who arrived in Jacksonville, reported the loss of a brooch containing thirty-three diamonds, which was either lost or stolen while Mrs. McCormick was a passenger on the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac railroad. The pin is valued at \$30,000.

## FAVORS PENSIONS FOR TEACHERS.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 19.—The teachers' pension law and other legislation favored by the State Teachers' League were favored as amendments to the school code by the legislative committee of the State Federation of Labor. The child labor bill was also considered.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards) CATTLE slow; choice, \$9@\$9.25; prime, \$8.40@9. SHEEP slow; prime weathers, \$4.35@4.60; lambs and common, \$2@2.50; yearlings, \$2.50@3. HOGS lower; prime heavies, \$7.40@7.45; medium and heavy Yorks, \$7.40@7.45; roughs, \$6.50@6.75.

## WILL RESTRICT IMMIGRATION

### House Passes Bill to Exclude All Who Cannot Read.

Washington, Dec. 19.—By a vote of 175 to 52 the house passed the Burnett bill excluding from admission to this country all aliens over sixteen years of age, physically capable of reading, who cannot read the English language or the language or dialect of some other country.

Government officials say the legislation proposed is the most important affecting immigration that has been passed in many years. It is aimed at persons coming from east, central and southern Europe, the sections that contribute more than any others to the tide of immigration sweeping toward the United States.

## READING ON NEW BASIS

### 2 Per Cent Quarterly Dividend on the Common Stock.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—The directors of the Reading company placed the common stock on an 8 per cent basis by declaring a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, an increase of half of one per cent over the last previous dividend.

Coming so soon after the decision of the supreme court on Monday in the anthracite toll road case, in which Reading was the principal defendant, the action caused considerable excitement in the stock market. The stock jumped in a few minutes from 165 to 170.

## PREFERENCE PRIMARY FOR POSTMASTERS

### Mr. Bristow Introduces Bill in the Senate.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Senator Bristow, of Kansas, introduced a bill providing for a preference primary for the appointment of postmasters, that would affect the appointment of every postmaster in the United States who receives \$300 or more a year.

Senator Bristow's plan is to hold a nominating election for postmasters hereafter where vacancies occur for the purpose of filling the office by the voice of the people. The candidate receiving the largest number of votes cast in the nominating district would be appointed by the postmaster general and would serve for a term of five years.

Only after full hearing on written charges could a postmaster be removed, and in such a contingency the postmaster would not be eligible for renomination.

The bill provides that the nominating election may be held at the time of the county, state, local or municipal election held next preceding the expiration of the term of the postmaster at the discretion of the postmaster general.

President Taft nominated Charles C. Craig to be postmaster of Morrill, Neb., because the folk of that town had shown a preference for him at a primary election.

## THIEVES GET \$6000

### Currency Shipped From New York Sub-Treasury Disappears.

Dennison, O., Dec. 19.—When secret service detectives arrived here it became known that \$6000 in bills, consigned from the sub-treasury in New York to a bank in Marietta, O., had been stolen from the express office in New Comerstown, near here.</

# NEWS FROM SANTA

## At "THE HOME OF FIN CLOTHES"

HE has found a great variety of beautiful and handsome presents for all. The place where you will always find the quality of the very best and know that your satisfaction is guaranteed.

Below are a few suggestions from Santa:-

### FOR BOYS and GIRLS

A nice **rain coat or rain cape**. Lots of boys and girls have written for them.

An **Indian or Cowboy suit**, just the thing to please the boy.

A pretty **coat or suit** of the famous quality, at the "Home of Fine Clothes"

### FOR THE LADIES

Beautiful **handkerchiefs**, hundreds of styles to choose from, **5c to \$2.50**  
**Special ladies' pure linen handkerchief 5c**

Why not a **coat suit or long coat** at a greatly reduced price, as we are cleaning them out, they are all bargains.

**Hand bags or pocket books.** An immense line of them, something every woman needs.

**Kimonos**, she will say "it is just the thing she wanted"

**Fancy neckwear.** This is one of our strong lines. We call special attention to our beautiful line of Robespierre collar.

**Furs, Furs.** Let us open your eyes, in stylish furs. We cannot be beat. All kinds, Grey, Sable, Lynx, Red Fox and opossum. A special Muff **\$1.25**, this is unequalled.

### MEN'S DEPARTMENT

**FOR HIM**—Why not let us suggest an **overcoat, raincoat or suit**.

Then we have the ever appreciated gift which is an **umbrella**. See our great line of these, at all prices, in the new India shape.

**Neckties.** We have hundreds of them for you to choose from. All in holiday boxes.

What is nicer for the man who travels, than one of our **collar bags or drinking cups**.

**Bath robes and smoking jackets** in great variety, on which you find our prices the lowest.

**Suit cases and hand bags.** In this line of leather goods we challenge competition, as you will find us considerably cheaper than elsewhere.

**Shoes** for all, at all prices.

**Underwear, gloves and hosiery** for gifts, for all the family.

We ask you to come in and see our display of useful suggestions to Gift Buyers.

# Funkhouser & Sachs

"The Home Of Fine Clothes"

## MORGAN QUIZZED BY PROBERS

Many Billions Controlled by Small Group of Men.

### WAY PAVED FOR GRILLING

Morgan's Firm and Seventeen Others Are Interlocked in 134 Corporations Having \$25,325,000,000 Resources.

Washington, Dec. 19.—J. Pierpont Morgan went on the witness stand before the house "money trust" investigating committee prepared for a grilling examination on the most important phase of the whole inquiry—the "concentration of money and credits."

Mr. Morgan was questioned about his banking firm in New York and its branches in Philadelphia and Paris. His examination was not finished.

Asked for the names of the members of the firm, Morgan furnished the following list: J. P. Morgan, H. P. Davison, W. P. Hamilton, T. W. Lamont, H. F. Lloyd, J. P. Morgan, Jr., A. A. Newbold, William H. Porter, Charles Steele, E. T. Stotesbury and Temple Bowdoin. He said the same partners were in all the houses.

"Only my desire to keep Mr. Drexel's name in the Philadelphia house prevents all of the houses having the same name," he added.

"Do you do a general banking business in New York?" "We try to."

Morgan explained that his firm did not belong to the clearing house, but cleared its own checks over its counter.

"Is there any banking business your firm does not do?" "We do not issue bank notes."

Untermeyer asked whether Morgan's house carried deposits of "interstate corporations." Morgan did not quite understand, but after an explanation said his firm accepted the accounts of any corporation it thought reliable.

"The statement shows," said Untermeyer, "that on Jan. 1, 1912, there were sixty-six accounts of interstate corporations with the firm of Morgan & Co., with aggregate deposits of \$88,113,315.31. On Nov. 1, 1912, there were seventy-eight accounts of interstate corporations, with aggregate deposits of \$81,968,421.47, while the total capital, surplus and bonded debt of these interstate corporations reached the total of \$9,765,825.500."

"Does the statement refer to the source of the information?" asked Lindabury.

"It does not," replied Untermeyer.

Then, turning to Morgan, Untermeyer said:

"This statement, Mr. Morgan, does not give the names of the firms depositing with you. I understand that you do not wish to give the names?"

"I do not," said Untermeyer. Statistics were laid before the probbers to show that eighteen financial institutions, headed by J. P. Morgan & Co., with 180 members or directors, controlled in fact 746 directorships in 134 corporations with a total capitalization or resources of \$25,325,000,000, distributed as follows: Three hundred and eighty-five directorships in forty-one banks, with \$3,832,000,000 resources and \$2,834,000,000 deposits.

Tables purporting to show that four great life insurance companies—the New York Equitable, Mutual and the Metropolitan—would have, at the present rate of increase, assets totalling \$4,318,000,000 in 1931 were presented to the committee by Lawrence Scudder, the committee's expert. On Dec. 11, 1911, said Mr. Scudder, the total assets of the four companies were \$2,130,000,000, divided as follows: New York Life, \$693,000,000; Mutual Life, \$57,000,000; Equitable Life, \$504,000,000; Metropolitan Life, \$353,000,000.

Asked about the deposits carried by these life insurance companies in their principal banks, Scudder gave the average deposits in 1911 for the New York Life as \$6,973,842, while the deposits on Dec. 31 were only \$2,712,422.

During 1910 he said the average deposits were \$5,487,299, while Dec. 31 they were \$2,894,715.

For the Mutual Life Mr. Scudder gave these figures: Average, 1911, \$5,511,000; Dec. 31, \$1,376,000. 1910, average \$4,109,000; Dec. 31, \$2,717,000.

For the Equitable Life: 1911, average, \$12,015,000; Dec. 31, \$7,577,000. 1910, average \$6,687,000; Dec. 31, \$6,220,000.

For the Metropolitan Life: 1911, average \$3,928,000; Dec. 31, \$3,573,000; 1910, average \$4,238,000; Dec. 31, \$2,559,000.

Another table "showing affiliations of J. P. Morgan & Co., Trust company, Bankers' Trust company, First National bank and National City bank and other corporations through interlocking directorates," set forth that the five "interlocked" institutions controlled 341 directorships in 112 corporations with capital or resources of \$22,245,000,000.

Thirty-one Dead in German Mine.

Dortmund, Germany, Dec. 19.—Thirty-one coal miners are believed to have been killed by an explosion of black damp in the Achenbach mine. Six bodies have been recovered and twenty-five miners are still missing.

Colonel Goethals Will Accept.

Washington, Dec. 19.—President Taft has received assurances that Colonel Goethals, builder of the Panama Canal, will accept the post of governor of the canal zone.

## J. PIERPONT MORGAN.

Financier Who Testified In the Money Probe.



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## SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Orner, of Cash- town, Entertain Many Friends.

On Thursday evening Dec. 12th a very enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Orner, of Cashtown, in honor of Mrs. Orner's birthday. The evening was spent in various games after which they were invited for refreshments. Those present were: Allen Orner and wife, G. W. Biesecker and wife, David Hahn and wife, Calvin Hahn and wife, M. E. Freed and wife, Charles Carbaugh and wife, Frank Hartman and wife, Clarence Gallagher and wife, Mrs. Ellen Minter, Mrs. John Yeaple, Mrs. Arbin Carbaugh, Mrs. Abner Kuhn, Mrs. James Felix, Mrs. Abner Kump, Mrs. Adam Deardorff, Mrs. Edward Hartman, Mrs. McClain Miller, Mrs. Ethel Chronister, Mrs. Ernest Cook, Carroll Cartaugh, Alverta Gallagher, Verna Orner, Mary Freed, James Orner, Leroy Hartman, Miriam Miller, Mary Hartman, Marian Chronister, Ada Deardorff, Helen Cook, Floyd Kump, Cleo Hossler, Ruth Shultz, Hilda Riggeal, Helen Kurp, May Stover, Kathryn Biesecker, Martha Hartman, Merl Shultz, Raymond Hosler, Bruce Gallagher, Hilda Hartman, Kathryn Orner, Ernest Shultz, Alma Henry, Blanche Sheely, Carl Marta, Floyd Hartman, Calvin Musselman, Claire Hartman, Curtis Cullison, Howard Gallagher, Albert Lawver, Emory Baltzley, Dorsey Sowers, Virgie Weikert, Joel McGlaughlin, Paul Kane, Dorsey Martz, Earl Kump, Oran Rebert, Guy Keller, John Baltzley, Clarence Andrew, Sue O'Brien, Ernest Miller, Esther Riggal, Mann Baltzley, Robert Hahn, Claire Rebert, Alda Freed, Myles Biesecker, Ruth Hartman, Wilmer Cullison, Guy Bishop, Clyde Shultz, George Schlosser, George Carbaugh, Allen Carbaugh, Cecil Shultz, Dr. Woomer.

## POISON IN ITS AIR.

Java's Valley of Death, Where Life Cannot Exist.

The Valley of Death is on the island of Java. It is the most remarkable natural example of an atmosphere loaded with carbonic acid gas in existence. It has never been fully explored because of the danger of remaining more than a few moments in its poisonous atmosphere.

Approached through an opening between the hills, it is seen to be an oval shaped valley about half a mile across. It is about thirty-five feet deep. The bottom is hard and sandy, without vegetation and strewn with large stones. The surface is covered with the bones of animals, birds and human beings.

Explorers seldom venture beyond the borders, though the deadly air does not immediately affect human beings. This is because the carbonic acid gas, being heavier than the atmosphere, settles to the bottom of the valley. Dogs and fowls thrown into it fall senseless instantly and die in a few minutes. No craters or fissures are visible on the floor of this valley, and it is thought that the openings are near the base of the hills.—Exchange.

Power is a fretful thing and bath its wings always spread for flight. Wings

ONE pound "My Pet" extra fine assorted chocolates, 40 cent quality, special 29 cents. Miller, the cash grocer and confectioner.—advertisement.

DON'T miss E. H. Trostle's big livery sale at Biglerville Saturday.—advertisement.

FOR RENT: desirable room 22x85 feet. Well lighted. Heated if desired. Apply Eckert's Store.—advertisement.

BLUE RIBBON oranges, thin skin, heavy, sweet and juicy. Miller, the cash grocer and confectioner.—advertisement.

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Medical advertising

## GOOD ADVICE

Gettysburg Citizen Gives Information of Priceless Value. When you suffer from backache, Headaches, dizziness, nervousness, Feel weak, languid, depressed, Have annoying urinary disorders; Do you know what to do? Some Gettysburg people do. Lead the statement that follows. It's from a Gettysburg citizen.

Mrs. J. Warren Gilbert, 130 West Main street, Gettysburg, Pa., says: I have had no need of Doan's Kidney Pills since they cured me some years ago. I suffered terribly from headaches, backaches and dizzy spells, caused by disordered kidneys. Nothing brought me relief until I used Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at People's Drug Store. All my troubles left me after I took this medicine.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y., sole agent for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—take no other.

Two Men Killed.

White Haven, Pa., Dec. 19.—Two men, walking on the Central Railroad of New Jersey at Bridgeport, near here, were run over and instantly killed. They were Leo Fly, twenty-five years old, of Bangor, Me., and Frank Timith, twenty-eight years old, whose residence is unknown.

One Held For Black Hand Letters.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 19.—Jacob Dunn, one of the three mountaineers charged with having sent threatening letters to President-elect Wilson, was held for the grand jury at the conclusion of his preliminary hearing here. Seelye Davenport was discharged and Dunn's bail was reduced from \$2000 to \$1000.

Robber Escapes From Sing Sing.

Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Chester Yates, serving a twenty-one year sentence in Sing Sing prison for the robbery of Aaron Bancroft, an aged New York broker, was missing from his cell when guards made their rounds. How he made his escape is a mystery.

# YOU GET THE CHRISTMAS IDEA AT OUR STORE

## COMFORT in ROCKERS

We have the greatest line of Rockers we have ever had. We are selling lots of them and we are going to sell more. Your seeing them will convince you that one of our Rockers is just the thing for a gift.

GIVE  
YOUR  
WIFE



## MUSIC CABINET

Just the thing for the daughter. Have a great assortment.

We could mention over a hundred different articles which we have right here, [that would make a most delightful gift. Come in and see for yourself. You will not be urged to buy.

## H. B. BENDER,

The Homefurnisher.

# Your Dearest Friend

Wife, Mother or Children

Have frequently importuned you to have a good photograph made. Do you actually know of any present they would appreciate more?

"My most cherished possession is a photograph of Mother" was the expression of a man who chose to give his confidence a short time ago.

We will gladly have your picture ready for CHRISTMAS Day if you arrange for a sitting.

A large number of the best "Thompson" water colors is among our holiday goods and a hundred different styles of picture frames.

We also invite your inspection of a large line of Christmas cards.

**W. H. TIPTON.**

CHAMBERSBURG STREET

## Sewing Machines

As a Christmas gift. What would please mother more than one of our high arm sewing machines. They run so light and are so easy to operate. We have a lot of machines that we are selling at low prices in order to reduce the stock. These machines were bought in quantity to get prices so that we can sell them at these special prices.

**CHAS. S. MUMPER & CO.**

Centre Square,

Gettysburg.

## PUBLIC SALE AT HUNTERSTOWN, ON FRIDAY, DEC. 20, 1912

I will sell my last and best load of cows in 1912, at the Thomas Hotel:

**17 Head of Fresh Cows  
and Close Springers**

Every one a good young one. The kind that make milk and butter. Special is the finest young fresh Guernsey cow I ever sold. Come look them over as I will show you some good ones.

Also a few young cows that will be fresh next spring. See them.

**A Bunch of Bulls, Heifers and Steers**

Good stock in good shape. Come early and look them over.

**Also a Bunch of Fine Shoots**

Sale begins at one o'clock sharp. A credit will be given.

**G. R. Thompson, Auct.**

**H. J. MARCH.**

### MISS ROSALIE JONES.

General of Suffragette March  
From New York to Albany.



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## BRYAN AND WILSON TO CONFER SATURDAY

Will Attend Dinner to Governor  
Elect Sulzer in New York.

New York, Dec. 18.—President-elect Wilson and Colonel William J. Bryan are to confer on Friday or Saturday on many subjects which may affect the coming administration at Washington.

Colonel Bryan is coming to town to attend the dinner to be given by many notable Democrats to Governor-elect William Sulzer at the Hotel Astor on Saturday evening. The president-elect and Colonel Bryan are to speak at the dinner and Senator J. A. O'Gorman is to preside.

Either before the dinner or immediately after it Wilson and Bryan, it was announced, are to get together and discuss politics and patronage.

Colonel Bryan's intimates in New York said that the Nebraskan much prefers to be either attorney general or secretary of the treasury in Wilson's cabinet, and has little liking for the state portfolio.

New York Democrats could not recall, several of them remarked, that Colonel Bryan had sufficient experience in the law to warrant the aspiration to become attorney general of the United States. In fact these Democrats went on to say that Colonel Bryan has not practiced his profession for a long time.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 18.—A confessed kleptomaniac, Harry Van Waringa, tearfully told Judge Porterfield in the criminal court that he was powerless to quit stealing, and the judge ordered the prisoner to the penitentiary to serve eight years for forgery.

Van Waringa, who is well educated, had been in court many times, but always his wife secured his release. Mrs. Van Waringa formerly was secretary to Cornelius Roche, secretary of Missouri. She married Van Waringa after securing his release from the penitentiary and then made this vow, which she reiterated in court:

"As long as there is life in me I will stand by you and attempt to help you. I shall visit you, care for you, pray for you, hope for you, work for you, no matter whether you are in prison or out. I know your weakness and forgive it, for I know you cannot help it."

### HEADS SECRET SERVICE

John E. Wilkie Is Succeeded by New York Detective.

Washington, Dec. 18.—William J. Flynn, of New York, was appointed chief of the United States secret service by Secretary MacVeagh, succeeding John E. Wilkie, now chief supervising agent of the customs service.

For many years Flynn has been in charge of the New York division of the secret service. During the early days of Mayor Gaynor's administration he was deputy police commissioner of New York.

### Monument For Maine Victims.

Washington, Dec. 18.—A design for a monument to be erected in Havana to the memory of the dead of the United States battleship Maine has been accepted by the government of Cuba, according to information received at the state department. Congress will be asked to appropriate \$20,000 to pay for the construction of the monument.

To Cheer Him.  
The wife of his bosom was going to leave him for a fortnight, and Fitz-Tomkins was trying his very best to look sad.

"My dear," he said, choking back a chuckle with his handkerchief and wining his eyes. "I hardly like to think how I shall miss you. The evenings will be so long and lonely without you. I shall have no one to talk to."

"George," said Mrs. Fitz, surveying him with a marble eye. "I have provided for your comfort in this as in every other way. When you return home you will find dear mother there. She will remain till I come back and keep you company in the evenings. George."

And as the train slowly glided out of the station the guard wondered why Fitz-Tomkins nearly bit him when he insinuated a tip.—London Telegraph.

### Report of the condition of the National Bank of Arendtsville

AT ARENTSVILLE, PA., at the close of business Nov. 26, 1912.

#### RESOURCES

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Loans and discounts.....                          | 98,727.67  |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....            | 124.04     |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....            | 25,600.00  |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....                      | 356.00     |
| Bonds, securities, etc.....                       | 18,733.13  |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures.....       | 4,678.44   |
| Due from approved reserve agents.....             | 12,017.41  |
| Checks and other cash items.....                  | 683.88     |
| Notes of other National Banks.....                | 285.00     |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents..... | 30.06      |
| Total.....  | 108,936.13 |
| <b>LIABILITIES</b>                                |            |
| Capital stock paid in.....                        | 25,600.00  |
| Surplus Fund and undivided profits.....           | 8,865.28   |
| National Bank notes outstanding.....              | 25,000.00  |
| Due to other National Banks.....                  | 1,028.43   |
| Individual deposits subject to check.....         | 21,305.70  |
| Time certificates of deposit.....                 | 86,851.72  |
| Cashier's checks outstanding.....                 | 255.00     |
| Total.....  | 108,936.13 |

Effective October 27.

### THE WESTERN MARYLAND RAILWAY

8:41 A. M. Daily Except Sunday for Baltimore, Hanover, York and Intermediate Points.

10:08 A. M. Daily for Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Elkins and Points West.

1:00 P. M. for York & Intermediate Points.

3:20 P. M. Daily for Baltimore, Hanover, York, and Intermediate Points.

5:48 P. M. daily Except Sunday for B. and H. Division Points to Highfield, also Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Shippensburg and Hancock, Pittsburgh and all points west.

*Sunday Only*

5:40 P. M. for New Oxford, Hanover, York, Baltimore and intermediate stations.

## WOOD SALE

On Thursday, the 26th day of December.

The undersigned will sell on the Silas Horner farm along the road leading from Barlow to Hoffman's orphanage, 1-4 mile from the latter place, the following:

Lumber and Wood, 25 cords of Slab Wood, 5000 feet of Falls, 14 acres of Uncut Tree Tops

a large lot of chunks, chips, sawdust and ashes.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, rain or shine. A credit of three months will be given to all purchasers giving their notes with approved security, all sums under \$5 dollars cash. Positively no lumber to be removed until after sale.

**H. A. Myers**

J. M. Caldwell, auct.

P. A. Miller, clerk.

**Start the Day Warm With a PERFECTION SMOKELESS OIL HEATER**

**SLEEPING with the windows open is a "first aid" to health and beauty. But it makes getting up in the morning a chilly ordeal.**

**With a Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater you dress in comfort on the coldest day.**

**A touch of a match, and the Perfection is aglow in a minute. Later, you can carry it to any other room, and breakfast, read or sew in comfort.**

**In fact, Perfection Heater is just as good as a fire, and much cleaner and more convenient.**

*It is a handsome heater, too. Ask your dealer to show you a Perfection, or write for descriptive catalogues.*

**THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY**  
Philadelphia Pittsburgh

## Christmas Gifts

### Hats, Caps, Shoes, Rubbers

**C. B. Kitzmiller.**

### Great Biglerville Poultry Show & Apple Exhibit

January 6, 7, 8, 9, 1913.

If you have not received premium catalogue and entry blank, write or call O. C. Rice, secretary.

Adams County People—exhibit your Poultry; don't let all the good premiums go out of the County. Entries positively close Saturday, December 21st.

Be sure your entry blanks are filled out and sent to the secretary by that date; otherwise you cannot exhibit. Last day for entering apples Jan. 1st. Get your entry.

For any information write or call

**O. C. RICE, Secretary**  
Biglerville, Pa.

## Our Holiday Gifts

### Now on Display

Our store has, in addition to its usual stock, a big assortment of pretty and useful things for the holiday trade, that is unsurpassed in this section. Our store rooms are full to the brim with interesting and appropriate gifts. The prices are right and will meet the wants of all. Among other things are the following:

CHINWARE  
LAMPS  
GLASSWARE  
CANDIES

UMBRELLAS  
FANCY LINENS  
HANDKERchiefs  
NECKWEAR

UNDERWEAR  
GLOVES  
SWEATER COATS  
READY MADE CLOTHING

Fine new line of up-to-date HATS just received.

### Shoes At The Old Prices

In spite of general raise in price of 10 per cent, the country over, for shoes you can buy them here at the same old price. Make your selection from any of the famous lines, we carry the "W. W. W." the "Freed" or "Bell's".

**KLEPPER'S STORE, Arendtsville, Penna.**

H. P. MARK - Arendtsville, Pa. - H. P. MARK

## A Big Display of Holiday Goods

The thirtieth anniversary of my being in business will be celebrated with a grand opening of holiday goods on

Saturday, December 7th, 1912

A big stock fresh from the eastern cities has been placed in our store rooms and will be open for inspection to all our friends and customers. Our holiday stock consists of

### CHINA and GLASSWARE

Cut glass pieces in latest patterns. The only store at which to buy it in the North end of the County. Dinner sets. Silver knives and forks.

### BRIC-A-BRAC

Vases, Candlebra, Statuary and Japanese pieces.

### SLEDS and WAGONS

The kind that won't break when you look at them. Big line of lightning guiders and flexible flyers. Other toys.

### FURNITURE

During the holidays only we offer an eight piece \$30 solid oak suite for \$25. Dresser has a French beveled mirror 24x30. An exceptional offer which will only last for the holiday trade. Iron bedsteads and other furniture of all descriptions. An especially attractive line of rockers, dining room suits, sideboards, desks, etc.

### LAMPS

of every style and description.

### TOILET SETS

A large line of toilet sets has been received for the holiday trade. A most acceptable gift and we have many patterns.

### SWEEPERS

Bissell's sweepers make very acceptable gifts. They save many hours hard work.

### PICTURES

We have no competitors in price, for we do our framing in dull seasons. We are overstocked and the goods must go. As a result we have made a reduction of 25 percent on all pictures.

### CARPETS

Brussels, Mouquet Axminster, Ingrain and Rag carpet. A pattern to suit everyone.

### RUGS

A large number of rugs of attractive design and excellent quality. All sizes. A new line of bath room rugs, 36x72 for 98c. 30x60 for 89c

### OIL STOVES

Monarch and B. and B. oil heaters which are just the thing to take the chill off of a room.

### CLOCKS

Our display of clocks is large and at varied prices. Cathedral gong clock from \$3 to \$6.75, all new designs. Oak case clocks and cheaper grades, alarm clocks, etc., for those who want them

Luden Vacuum Cleaner is the best vacuum cleaner we know for the money. It operates by hand and sells for \$20. Our price for it is \$15.00. Ask us to show you how it works.

H. K. BELNAP.  
Chief Inspector Interstate Commerce Commission Probes Wrecks.



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## NEW TALES THAT ARE TOLD

### Why the Exhorter Was Silent.

When Senator Mark Smith of Arizona was a boy he lived on a big plantation in Kentucky. It was in slave days, and one of his father's slaves was Uncle Ike, who was the preacher for the place.

Smith's father had built a small church on the corner of the plantation, and Uncle Ike held forth there every Sunday. This was pleasing to Ike, he

### PUBLIC SALE

On Saturday, December 21, 1912. The undersigned intending to quit the livery business will sell at Bigerville, Adams county, Pa., his entire stock and all his wagons and harness, also a carload of new buggies and a lot of new harness of different designs viz:

5 head of horses, consisting of a pair of blacks, one a horse, the other mare, 8 and 9 years old, fearless of all objects and are as pleasant a doubleteam as anyone could wish for both are good single drivers; spotted horse 13 years old, a good, safe all around horse; sorrel mare 9 years old, a good driver, and safe for anyone to drive; black horse 8 years old a good driver and off-side worker, 1 surrey almost new, only used a short time, top spring wagon almost new, only used only a short time.

3 rubber tire buggies, good as 3 rubber tire runabout, nearly new, 1 rubber tire runabout almost new, open spring wagon with platform springs in rear, in good shape, capacity 1500 pounds, top spring wagon in good running order, sewing machine wagon, with top in good condition, 3 seated hack in good order, one Portland sleigh never used, light bob sled and pleasure, sled with two seats, nearly new, wheelbarrow, 3 surrey poles, buggy pole, 2 sets double harness, 1 set almost new, 6 sets single harness, 8 collars, pair check lines, 2 new flynets, new plow line, set surrey harness with hames and collar, 2 storm fronts fit any buggy, lot of gum aprons, stable and buggy blankets, robes, etc.

Also at the same time and place I will sell a carload of new buggies, styles to please anyone, also a lot of new single and double harness, 10 pound cans axle grease, a lot of 10c cans, new blankets never used, hay by the ton.

Also at the same time and place I will offer my livery stable in Bigerville, near the station. Most suitable place in Bigerville for a livery or sale and exchange stable for 14 horses, water and wash stand in stable. I am going out of the livery business and everything must positively be sold for the high dollar, so come one and all rain or shine for the many bargains. Sale at 1 o'clock. Terms by E. H. TROSTLE Slaybaugh and Taylor, aucts.



"STOP YOUR LYING, IKE," SAID MARK.

cause it not only gave him a chance to exhort the negroes, but it absolved him from any of the Sunday chores.

One Sunday Mark went out by the barn and found Uncle Ike sitting disconsolately under a tree.

"Look here, Ike," said Mark, "why ain't you down there preaching?"

"Well, Marse Mark," replied Ike, "I ain't goin' to preach to dem niggahs no more. They's always fightin' 'mongst themselves, an' I'm sick an' tired an' done quit preachin'."

"Stop your lying, Ike," said Mark. "You wouldn't quit such a soft snap as that. What's the matter?"

"Well, Marse Mark," Ike replied, "ef you mus' know, dem triflin' niggahs don sent me my resignashun."

## NEARLY BROKE UP THE PARTY CAUCUS.

### Why Congressman Carlin Moved an Adjournment.

Ever since the Democrats of the house caucused on the Underwood wool bill, when the free wool advocates were defeated after a very spirited controversy, Speaker Clark and Majority Leader Underwood have wondered why their friend Representative Charles Carlin of Virginia made a motion to adjourn, which came very near throwing the caucus into chaos. Mr. Carlin explained his action the other day.

"Two young men came to Wilmington Saturday night, and at a boarding house at Fifth and Tatnall streets, where the girl stopped one night, said they were from Harrisburg and that the girl had telegraphed them to come for her.

### GIRL IN BOY'S CLOTHING

Keeps Wilmington Police on the Jump and Evades Arrest.

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 18.—The police of this city are puzzled over the actions of Sarah Jane Russell, sixteen years old, whose home is believed to be in Harrisburg, Pa.

The girl, attired in boy's clothing, has been dodging about Wilmington since Saturday, and every time the police get close to her she gives them the slip.

Her latest appearance was at the milk house of John H. Talley, in West Eighth street. Talley saw the intruder peeping at him from behind a door, and, suspecting robbery, gave chase. Talley was amazed to see a bunch of golden hair fall from under the cap of the fugitive. The girl has been pursued several times by the police.

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### REFUSE 2 FIREMEN DEMAND

Railroad Managers Agree to Allow Some of the Demands.

New York, Dec. 18.—The conference committee representing fifty eastern railroads which is considering the demands for higher pay and better working conditions of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, announced that it would reject absolutely the request for two firemen on locomotives of a certain type, but is prepared to settle the working conditions regarding terminal delay, overtime, terminals, etc., on the same basis as laid down in the award of the recent engineers' arbitration and to consider an increase of existing rates in some instances."

"I caught my car." — New York World.

### Senator Gore's Sixth Sense.

Thomas P. Gore, the blind senator from Oklahoma, is wonderful at telling what is going on about him. When he was calling on Governor Wilson at Sea Girt a friend dropped into a porch rocking chair and began talking to him. The senator leaned over and said something in a low voice.

"I beg pardon," asked the other.

"I said that you were rocking on my hat," replied the senator.

It was a panama of an unusual variety, and the man had only rocked on the edge of it, so he is still wondering how the senator knew. — New York Evening Post.

### The Caddy's Advice.

Mrs. R. H. Barlow, the eastern champion, said at the Cape May Golf club, nodding toward a certain man:

"Yes, he is a very poor player. Even his caddy, for all his liberal tips, scorns him."

"One afternoon he made a wretched fooloo and tore up a sod. Lifting this sod in his hand—it was about a foot square—he said to his caddy ruefully:

"What on earth am I to do with this John?"

"If I was you," the boy answered, "I'd take it up to the hotel to practice on, sir." — New Orleans Daily States.

LOST: on Monday, December 16th, a pocket-book, between Gettysburg and Keystone Mills. Reward if returned to Edgar Newman, Route 4, Gettysburg, Pa.—advertisement.

LOST: 5-A horse blanket, white with brown plaid. Lost either in Fairfield or between Fairfield and Gettysburg. Reward if returned to Times office.—advertisement.

## A Sewing Machine at \$18.00

### That Equals Any \$30.00 Machine

Full size high-arm sewing head. Ball-bearing enameled stand. Five drawers with polished oak fronts and handsome pulls; one of them with bobbin compartments. Thoroughly adjusted so that it may be used in the home at once without trouble. Fully guaranteed for ten years. Should last a lifetime with reasonably careful use. Will do perfectly all the sewing required in the average modern home. Has full equipment of attachments same as the higher priced machines. A trouble-proof easy-running, thoroughly satisfactory Machine.

We will sell you a \$45.00 machine, rotary action, with all the attachments, hemmers, etc., for \$27.00. Guaranteed for 10 years.

Fully guaranteed machines as low as \$14.00. They have been handled with success for 20 years.



H. P. MARK,

Arendtsville,

Adams County, Pa.

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A Year's Subscription To

## THE GETTYSBURG TIMES

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## ADAMS COUNTY - NEWS

Will be a daily (or weekly) reminder of your thoughtfulness. Most everybody gets it now, but they won't object to having a year's subscription paid. Your friends away from home will be especially glad for the home paper.

A neatly printed card as shown on the right will be sent to whomsoever you suggest, on Christmas morning, notifying them of your gift.

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has paid for one year's subscription to The Gettysburg Times, with instructions to send The Times to you, with best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

### VILLAGE LIFE IN EGYPT.

Crude Mud Houses, the Roofs of Which Are Garbage Dumps.

Egyptian village life is quaint and interesting, says the *Wide World Magazine*. The houses are crude, one storied structures of sun baked mud, with possibly a couple of tiny square holes cut in the wall for ventilation.

Each home consists of a single room, absolutely devoid of furniture, one or

two drinking jars and cooking utensils being usually the only articles to be seen. The roofs of these houses are thatched with cornstalks, and for some unaccountable reason all the household rubbish is dumped on the roof! For this purpose a ladder may frequently be seen reclining against the side of the house. From a distance a village is apt to look like an immense rubbish heap. These primitive erections are inhabited solely by the fellas,

bln, as Egyptian peasants are called. In some of the Arab villages the arrangements for sleeping are even more unconventional. Huge cuplike structures made of mud are built out in the open, away from the houses, and into these the babies are frequently placed during the day, and often the entire family sleep in them at night. The idea is to escape the numerous snakes and scorpions which abound during the great heat of the summer.

### WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p.m. yesterday follow:

|                   | Temp. | Weather. |
|-------------------|-------|----------|
| Albany.....       | 38    | Cloudy.  |
| Atlantic City.... | 50    | Cloudy.  |
| Boston.....       | 38    | Cloudy.  |
| Buffalo.....      | 46    | Cloudy.  |
| Chicago.....      | 38    | Cloudy.  |
| New Orleans....   | 64    | Cloudy.  |
| New York.....     | 45    | Cloudy.  |
| Philadelphia....  | 44    | Rain.    |
| St. Louis.....    | 44    | Cloudy.  |
| Washington....    | 48    | Cloudy.  |

The Weather.  
Fair today and tomorrow; south winds.

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—THE LEADERS—

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## Read Over This List For A Holiday Gift Suggestion

### Comfort at Home For the Men

**Smoking or House Coats**—\$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00. Double-faced cloths, cut and tailored to fit with comfort, in Brown, Blue, Olive, Oxford, etc.; corded and stitched edges, special values.

**Men's Blanket Ropes**—\$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. Kenyon make in new style blankets, cord and button closing. Just the thing to wear when sitting before the fire on a cold night, or for those who are called up during the night. A splendid assortment of patterns—if you come soon.

**Men's Pajamas and Night Shirts**—Faultless make, which means correctness.

Pajamas of Outing Flannel—\$1.00.

Pajamas of Lusterine—\$1.25.

Night Shirts of outing—50c and \$1.00.

Muslin Night Shirts—50 cts.

**Men's Shirts**—Emperor & Cluett Brands, perfect fitting, coat styles, attached cuffs. White and Fancy, pleated, plain White and Fancy Madras, \$1.00.

The Famous 50c Shirt. Great variety of patterns, coats styles, equals the world's best 50c. Shirt.

Soft Cuff Shirts—50c, 75c, \$1.00.

Men's Working Shirts—Jumbo brand, 50 cts.

Flannel Shirts.—All wool, navy, \$1.00, \$1.25.

Cluett Brand Collars, 2 for 25 cts.

#### MEN'S HALF HOSE

Pure Silk Sox—Black, Tan, and Navy. Special values 50 cts. \$1.00 per pair, 2 pairs boxed.

Lisle and Silk Pleated Sox—same colors and also Fancies, 25 cts. per pair. 3 pair boxed.

Cotton Sox—Black, Tan and colors, 10c and 2 pair for 25c.

**Merino and Wool Sox**—Natural color, Oxford and Black, 25c.

#### MEN'S & BOYS' GIFT GLOVES

Allen's Genuine Mocha—Tan and Grey, no wear-out, \$1.50 per pair.

Cape Gloves—Unlined, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Cape Gloves—Vicuna lined, very warm, \$1.00.

Scotch and Wool Knit—Dressy and warm, 8 or 10 styles, 25c and 50c.

Auto Black Leather Gauntlets—handlined, very large, \$1.00.

Auto-leather Palm—Beaver back and gauntlet, very warm, \$1.00.

Boys' Cow Boy Gauntlets—Special quality, 50c.

#### MEN'S NECK WEAR

A wide assortment specially bought for holiday gifts. Four in Hands, plain and wide ends, Tecks, Etc. Silk Knit and Fancy Silks, 25c and 50c.

Each 50 cent Tie in a handsome Christmas box.

Men's Full Dress Mufflers, 50 cts.

Men's Wool Knit Mufflers, 25c and 50c.

**MEN WILL APPRECIATE THESE**

Shirley and President Suspenders—each handsomely boxed, 25c and 50c.

Men's Pocket Bill Books—Folding bill books with identification cards, or Memo books, with apartments for coin. Several leathers, 50 cts.

Folding Bill Books of Morocco—Fold so that when ready for the pocket takes up little more room than a knife. A novelty, but sensible, 50c.

Common Sense Coin Purse—25c and 50c.

Large Leather Books, 50c and 75c.

Paris Hose Supporters—No metal can touch the leg. 19 cts.

## HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

ONCE people gave to their friends and loved ones at Christmas time gifts that were pretty but of no value whatever, things that were nice to look upon but only in the way after the merriment of the Christmas season had passed. This is all changed now and no one cares to receive a gift that cannot be put to some real use. Right here in our store you can find the things which can be used, the things which will please the eye, and the things which will delight your friends when you present them on Christmas morning.

#### NECKWEAR

What is more delight and satisfaction to the boy, youth and man than a supply of collars and a collection of pretty neckties? The latest shapes in collars and the prettiest ties in town will be found right here. Full line of cuffs.

#### STOCKINGS

Nothing is more provoking than to find your socks or stockings in holes just when you are in hurry to dress. Men's, women's and children's stockings here from which to choose. The kind where holes don't come soon.

#### SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Your father, your husband, your brother would delight in a new suit at Christmas time. You can have them pick what they want and then present it to them Christmas morning. The early buyer has an immense stock from which to choose. If your relatives have already bought their fall and winter suits, how about a warm, good looking, handsome overcoat or raincoat. Prices to suit all.

And there are the young boys in the family—the little codgers. Suits and overcoats that will make them glad not only on Christmas day but throughout the entire winter. Come in and let us show them to you.

#### HATS

Hats and caps, for men, boys and children. Dress hats and hats for everyday. Wouldn't your boy enjoy a good warm hat for the winter school days.

#### SHIRTS

Dress shirts and working shirts. The men and boys in the family can't have too many of them. Cheap shirts and higher priced ones for dress.

#### SWEATERS

Just the thing for the man who must be out these winter days and fine for the boys' school wear and winter sports. Pretty shades.

#### SHOES

Here is the very thing. And we have in our stock shoes for men, for boys, for women, for girls and for children of all ages. We have the Ralston and Fellowcraft shoes for men—the best shoes sold in Gettysburg. We have fine shoes for women—none better sold in Adams County. We have shoes at lower prices for those who want to pay less and still get good goods. Boys and girls will find here just what they have been thinking about for dress and everyday wear and if it's the little children your thinking about, why, we have shoes for them too.

And what would be wrong with a pair of arctics for the man who has heavy outdoor work; or with rubbers for every member of the family. We have what you want. Come in.

#### GLOVES

No matter what you buy for the various members of the family you will fail to hit the mark unless gloves are in the list. Kid gloves for dress, woolen gloves for everyday wear and canvas gloves for rough work. Prices to suit all.

#### OTHER USEFUL ARTICLES

Bedroom slippers come in fine during the winter months. Pretty handkerchiefs make fine gifts. Umbrellas are always acceptable. Good and comfortable knit mufflers. Many other things.

Corner Square and  
Carlisle Street.

**O. H. LESTZ**

Gettysburg,  
Pa.

## A LIST OF PRACTICAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Any article subject to exchange.

Store open evenings until 8.

Saturday Nights and Christmas Week 9 o'clock.



### For Men



#### Coat Sweaters

From 50 cts. to \$6.00.

#### Suit Cases and Bags

An extensive line of imitation or genuine leather.

#### Fur Collars

For the man who does winter driving.

#### Pajamas and Night Robes

A good assortment,

#### Rain Coats

At \$5.00 to \$15.00.

#### Handkerchiefs

Cotton, Linen or Silk.

#### Complete lines of

Pocket Books      Umbrellas

Shirts      Underwear

Hats      Stick Pins

Cuff Links      Shoes

Overgaiters      Indian Moccasins

Arctics      Boots

Belts      Rubbers

Collars      Cuffs

Hosiery

### For Ladies

The ever practical gift—SHOES—subject to exchange for anything else in the store—House Slippers and Shoes of Kid or Felt and Indian Moccasins. Rubber Shoes and Boots, Overgaiters, Sweaters, 50 cts. to \$6. Silk and Wool Mufflers.

#### FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Hockey Caps 25 and 50 cts., Caps with ear protectors. Wool and Leather Gloves, High Top Shoes, Sweaters various colors from 50c to \$1.50, Canvas Leggings, Neckties, Rubber Boots, High School Pennants, Mittens, House Slippers of Felt or Leather and Indian Moccasins.

**Eckert's Store,**

**"ON THE SQUARE"**

SINCE 1885

IF you are looking for good sweet oranges try "Blue Ribbon" oranges. Miller, the cash grocer and confectioner—advertisement.

HAVE your face looking nice before Christmas by getting a face massage at H. B. Sefton's barber shop, 35 Baltimore street—advertisement.

FOR SALE: Royal Standard typewriter, good as new. Inquire of J. A. Knouse, Arendtsville—advertisement.

A Columbia Cuff-turn shirt makes a handsome Christmas gift for a gentleman. Will M. Seligman—advertisement.

## The Two Ollies

Suggest the following useful articles for Christmas Gifts for man woman and child.

Carving Sets, Cutlery of all kinds; Bissell Carpet Sweepers; Clothes Wringers; Numerous Styles of Washing Machines; Food Choppers; Meat Grinders; Lard Presses; Wear Ever Aluminum Cooking Utensils; Safety Razors; Pocket Knives; Scissors; Tools of all kinds,

Express Wagons; Tricycles; Sleds and Skates; Automobile Robes; Horse Blankets; Buggy Storm Fronts; All kinds of Harness.

Just received another big shipment of beautiful Trunks, Bags, and Suit Cases.

All of the above articles sold at extremely low prices.

Your patronage respectfully solicited.

## Adams County Hardware Company

#### COMING EVENTS

#### Coming Entertainments and Happenings in Gettysburg.

Dec. 19—First District S. S. convention. St. James church.

Dec. 20—Visitors' Day in public

schools of the town.

Jan. 3, 4—Farmers' Institute sessions. County Court House.

Jan. 11—Basket Ball. Lebanon Valley. College gymnasium.

Jan. 14—Lecture. General W. P. Hall. Brue Chapel.

Jan. 16—College Y. M. C. A. play. Brue Chapel.

Jan. 17—Basket Ball. Albright. College gymnasium.